Begin April 16, 1961

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PRECEDE AUSTIN
BY GARTH JONES

30.24

STONEWALL, TEX., APRIL 16 (AP)-VICE PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON TODAY PLEDGED TO WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER THAT "YOU STAND UP AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS AND WE WILL STAND BY YOUR SIDE."

JOHNSON MADE THE PROMISE TO ADENAUER BEFORE ABOUT 7,000 PERSONS AT A PUBLIC RECEPTION IN THE GERMAN SETTLEMENT OF FREDERICKSBURG NEAR THE JOHNSON RANCH.

ADENAUER AND JOHNSON FLEW TO TEXAS TODAY FROM WASHINGTON AND THE CHANCELLOR WILL BE A GUEST OF THE VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS. JOHNSON DURING HIS TWO-DAY TEXAS VISIT.

TOMORROW ADENAUER SPEAKS BEFORE A JOINT SESSION OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE IN AUSTIN.

IN A SPEECH IN GERMAN, ADENAUER TOLD THE HUGE CROWD JAMMING THE GILLESPIE COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS THAT "WE APPRECIATE THE GREAT TASK THIS NATION HAS DONE IN FIGHTING FOR FREEDOM AND LIBERTY. WE WILL CONTINUE TO RESIST THOSE EFFORTS BY THOSE WHO THREATEN THIS FREEDOM AND LIBERTY."

ADENAUER FLEW TO BERGSTROM AIR FORCE BASE NEAR AUSTIN IN A GLEAMING BLUE, WHITE AND YELLOW BOEING 707 JETLINER. AFTER SEVEN MINUTES IN AUSTIN HE HEADED TO JOHNSON'S RANCH 65 MILES WEST OF HERE BY HELICOPTER.

CLEAR, BRISK WEATHER COVERED TEXAS. ABOUT 500 PERSONS IN ADDITION TO THE BERGSTROM AFB BAND WERE AT THE AIRPORT TO GREET THE CHENCELLOR. HE WAVED AT THEM FROM THE DOOR OF THE PLANE FOLLOWING THEIR CHEERS.

ADENAUER'S SCHEDULE CALLS FOR HIM ATTEND A BARBECUE AT THE LBJ RANCH AND THEN A PUBLIC RECEPTION IN FREDERICKSBURG, A TOWN SETTLED BY GERMANS IN THE 1880S. TONIGHT HE ATTENDED A PRIVATE DINNER GIVEN BY THE VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS. JOHNSON.

TOMORROW HE RETURNS TO AUSTIN FOR A PARADE AND AN ADDRESS BEFORE A JOINT MEETING OF THE TEXAS HOUSE AND SENATE.

GOV. PRICE DANIEL WAS THE FIRST PERSON TO GREET ADENAUER AS HE STEPPED FROM THE PLANE. DANIEL PRESENTED A BOOK, "THE HISTORY OF GERMAN SETTLEMENTS IN TEXAS," TO THE CHANCELLOR. THE BOOK WAS INSCRIBED "TO CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER WITH HIGHEST ESTEEM AND BEST WISHES FROM PRICE DANIEL, GOVERNOR OF TEXAS."

THE BERGSTROM BAND PLAYED THE GERMAN NATIONAL ANTHEM AND THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER. ADENAUER THEN INSPECTED AN HONOR GUARD.

THE HELICOPTER CARRIED JOHNSON AND ADENAUER TO STONEWALL, SIX MILES FROM THE LBJ RANCH ON THE PEDERNALES RIVER WITH THE 85-YEAR-OLD CHANCELLOR, A DEVOUT CATHOLIC, ATTENDED MASS AT ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CATHOLIC CHURCH.

OTHERS IN THE ADENAUER AND JOHNSON PARTY WENT TO THE RANCH BY PLANE OR BUS.

ADENAUER WORSHIPPED WITH SEVERAL HUNDRED PERSONS OF GERMAN DESCENT IN THE LITTLE WHITE COUNTRY CHURCH AT STONEWALL. THE CHANCELLOR'S DAUGHTER, MRS. LIBETH WERHAHN, AND JOHNSON WERE THE ONLY OTHER MEMBER OF THE OFFICIAL PARTY TO ATTEND SERVICES. THEY SAT ON A HARDWOOD BENCH COVERED WITH RED VELVET.

THE REV. W. W. SCHNEIDER, ASSISTANT PASTOR OF THE CHURCH, SPOKE IN GERMAN AND STRESSED THE NEED OF FAITH IN GOD IN FACING WHAT HE CALLED "THE DANGER OF OUR ENEMIES TO WESTERN CIVILIZATION."

"OUR CHRISTIAN CULTURE IS BEING THREATENED BY SATAN AND HIS COHORTS, THE COMMUNISTS," HE SAID. FATHER SCHNEIDER LIVED IN BAVARIA UNTIL EIGHT YEARS AGO.

FROM STONEWALL JOHNSON, ADENAUER AND HIS DAUGHTER WENT TO THE RANCH.

(NO PICKUP)

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A60WX
ADVANCE FOR 6 P.M., EST, TODAY
(440) WITH ADENAUER

30.24

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, APRIL 16 (AP)-WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER TODAY URGED THE UNITED STATES TO TAKE A STRONGER LEAD IN THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE.

THE UNITED STATES SHOULD TAKE THIS LEAD AS THE STRONGEST MEMBER OF THE 15-NATION DEFENSE ALLIANCE, ADENAUER SAID IN A FILMED TELEVISION INTERVIEW (NBC-MEET THE PRESS).

BUT SUCH LEADERSHIP, THE CHANCELLOR DECLARED, DOES NOT FIT IN WITH A TRIPARTITE DIRECTORATE IN NATO--THE IDEA OF PRESIDENT CHARLES DE GAULLE OF FRANCE. ADENAUER SAID SUCH A DIRECTORATE OF THE BIG THREE POWERS WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE.

NEVERTHELESS, HE ADDED, A THOROUGH STUDY IS UNDER WAY TO FIND MEANS FOR MAKING THE ALLIANCE MORE EFFECTIVE.

THE CHANCELLOR, IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION ABOUT FURNISHING NATO WITH A NUCLEAR STRIKING FORCE, CALLED BRITISH PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN'S RECENT SUGGESTIONS FOR A NEW NATO PARTNERSHIP IN NUCLEAR WEAPONS "IMPRECISE." UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES, HE ADDED, HE CANNOT COMMENT ON THEM.

MACMILLAN ADVANCED HIS NUCLEAR PARTNERSHIP IDEA IN A SPEECH AT CAMBRIDGE, MASS., APRIL 7, BUT DID NOT SPELL OUT HIS CONCEPTION OF SUCH A PARTNERSHIP.

ADENAUER WAS ASKED WHETHER NATO CAN MAKE PROGRESS DESPITE LACK OF COOPERATION FROM DE GAULLE.

"OF COURSE WE CAN," HE REPLIED, AND EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT KENNEDY WILL SUCCEED IN "DEMOLISHING THE DIFFICULTIES WHICH NOW EXIST BETWEEN FRANCE AND NATO WHEN HE GOES TO PARIS" IN MAY.

ASKED WHAT HE THOUGHT ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF ANOTHER CRISIS OVER BERLIN, THE CHANCELLOR SAID THAT THE SOVIETS "ALWAYS RAISE THE BERLIN ISSUE WHEN SOMETHING GOES WRONG SOMEWHERE ELSE."

ADENAUER--ASKED ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF A MERGER OF EUROPEAN TRADE BLOCS--SAID HE WOULD "WELCOME (IT) VERY MUCH" IF NATIONS OF THE EUROPEAN FREE TRADE ASSOCIATION (EFTA) JOINED THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY INDIVIDUALLY.

A REPORTER ASKED WHETHER A SUMMIT MEETING WILL BE HELD SOON. THE CHANCELLOR PRAISED SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV FOR HIS "CORRECT AND UNDERSTANDING" REALIZATION THAT THE NEW U. S. ADMINISTRATION NEEDS TIME BEFORE SITTING DOWN TO THE CONFERENCE TABLE. WHEN A SUMMIT CAN TAKE PLACE "THAT KENNEDY MUST DECIDE HIMSELF."

IN THIS CONNECTION ADENAUER DISCLOSED THAT HE SENT A LETTER TO THE SOVIET LEADER FROM WASHINGTON, IN RESPONSE TO A MESSAGE HE GOT FROM KHRUSHCHEV EARLIER. HE DECLINED TO SAY MORE ABOUT THIS EXCHANGE.

ADENAUER WAS ASKED WHETHER HE WAS "PLEASED OR DISPLEASED" THAT THE GERMAN PEOPLE ARE NOW INVOLVED, WHILE ADOLF EICHMANN IS TRIED IN ISRAEL, "ON THOSE DARK PAGES OF HISTORY."

"IT IS NOT PLEASANT, BUT IT HAS TO BE ..." THE CHANCELLOR ANSWERED QUIETLY, AND ADDED:

"ONE SHOULD NOT DENY ANYTHING, AND NOT BEAUTIFY ANYTHING... AND ONE SHOULD NOT DENY THE GUILT."

HE SAID ALSO THAT EICHMANN IS NOT A GERMAN CITIZEN AND, THEREFORE, HIS COUNTRY HAS NO OBLIGATIONS TO HIM.

ASKED ABOUT WHAT GERMANY DOES TO TEACH ITS YOUTH ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED DURING THE HITLER ERA AND WHETHER IT IS TRUE THAT NO SUCH EDUCATION IS GOING ON, HE SAID:

"THIS MIGHT HAVE BEEN TRUE FOR SOME TIME, BUT IT IS DIFFERENT NOW."

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ADVANCE FOR 6:30 P.M., EST, TODAY

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PEACE CORPS-DRAFT 30.24

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, APRIL 16 (AP)-PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEERS APPARENTLY CAN COUNT ON DRAFT DEFERMENT WHILE ON DUTY WITH THE CORPS BUT WHEN THEIR ASSIGNMENTS END THEY'LL HAVE TO TAKE THEIR CHANCES WITH THEIR BOARDS.

IN THE APRIL ISSUE OF "SELECTIVE SERVICE", THE BULLETIN OF THE SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM, LT. GEN. LEWIS B. HERSHEY, DRAFT DIRECTOR, WROTE:

"THE POWER TO DEFER REGISTRANTS WHO PERFORM FUNCTIONS IN THE NATIONAL HEALTH, SAFETY, OR INTEREST NOW EXISTS. THE ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF THE PEACE CORPS IS IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST. SO THE CLASSIFICATION OF REGISTRANTS IN THE PEACE CORPS CAN BE HANDLED AS ANY OTHER REGISTRANT ENGAGED IN ACTIVITIES IN THE NATIONAL HEALTH, SAFETY, OR INTEREST."

HERSHEY WROTE THAT A RETURNED VOLUNTEER WOULD NOT BE BARRED FROM FURTHER DEFERMENT BUT INDICATED IT WOULD NOT BE EXTENDED AUTOMATICALLY. HE WROTE:

"THIS REQUIRES THE ASSUMPTION AS TO THE SITUATION OF THIS NATION IN THE WORLD, THE AGE OF THE REGISTRANT WHEN HE RETURNS, THE PHYSICAL CONDITION OF THE REGISTRANT WITH REFERENCE TO HIS ACCEPTABILITY FOR MILITARY SERVICE, HIS MARITAL STATUS, AND THE REGULATIONS WHICH APPLY IN EXISTENCE AT THE TIME OF HIS RELEASE FROM THE PEACE CORPS, AND WHETHER OR NOT THE REGISTRANT ON HIS RETURN FROM THE PEACE CORPS ENGAGES IN AN ACTIVITY WHICH PERMITS HIM TO BE DEFERRED IN THE NATIONAL HEALTH, SAFETY, OR INTEREST."

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ROBERT WELCH (240) 30. slt

BY RAYMOND HOLBROOK

DALLAS, TEX., APRIL 16 (AP)-ROBERT WELCH, FOUNDER OF THE JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY, TONIGHT REITERATED HIS CHARGES THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE HAD A HAND IN MOLDING EVERY MAJOR U.S. DECISION SINCE WORLD WAR II.

WELCH SPOKE TO AN OVERFLOW CROWD OF APPROXIMATELY 1,200 PERSONS IN THE BALLTOOM OF A DOWNTOWN HOTEL.

SPEAKING FROM A PREPARED COPYRIGHTED TEXT, WELCH DEVOTED MOST OF HIS TALK TO "THE PRINCIPAL OF REVERSAL" WHICH HE SAYS COMMUNISTS HAVE USED IN THEIR DRIVE FOR WORLD CONQUEST AND DIRECTED ONLY OCCASIONAL FIRE AT CRITICS OF HIS CONTROVERSIAL JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY.

DESCRIBING THE "PRINCIPLE OF REVERSAL" AS THE COMMUNISTS' ABILITY TO USE A PHRASE TO BRING ABOUT AN OPPOSITE RESULT AND TO REPLACE GOOD WITH EVIL, WELCH SAID THE REDS HAVE BROUGHT TYRANNY UNDER THE SLOGAN OF "LIBERATION" AND HAVE USED THE CRY OF "ANTI-IMPERIALISM" TO SUPPLANT CIVILIZED AND STABILIZING GOVERNMENTS WITH COMMUNISM.

HE SAID THE COMMUNIST-MASTER-MINDS HAVE USED THE SAME TECHNIQUE IN MOLDING U.S. POLICY AND POLITICS.

HE DREW HEAVY APPLAUSE WHEN HE CONTINUED "OUR GRANTING OF ASSISTANCE TO TITO, INDONESIA AND POLAND SHOWS JUST HOW FAR THE BIG LIE OF FOREIGN AID CAN BE CARRIED." 2

WELCH CHARGED THAT COMMUNISTS WERE THE GUIDING FORCE IN PREVENTING THE NOMINATION OF THE LATE SEN. ROBERT A. TAFT AT THE 1952 REPUBLICAN CONVENTION BY USING THE "PRINCIPLE OF REVERSAL" AND GETTING MILLIONS OF AMERICANS TO SAY "I LIKE TAFT BUT HE CAN'T WIN."

"HAD TAFT BEEN NOMINATED HE WOULD HAVE WON BY AN OVERWHELMING MAJORITY AND HE WOULD HAVE SET COMMUNISM BACK A WHOLE GENERATION," 3 WELCH TOLD HIS APPLAUDING AUDIENCE.

BEFORE HIS SPEECH WELCH ANNOUNCED THAT HIS SPEECH WAS COPYRIGHTED AND SAID NO TAPE RECORDINGS FOR COMPPLETE REBROADCAST BY TELEVISION AND RADIO STATIONS WOULD BE PERMITTED. HE HANDED OUT MIMEOGRAPHED EXCERPTS TO NEWSMEN PRESENT.

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A41 (550) 30.24

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, APRIL 16 (AP)-A CONTROVERSY BETWEEN A U.S. GENERAL AND A PRIVATELY OWNED SERVICEMEN'S NEWSPAPER TURNED INTO A MUTUAL NAME-CALLING CONTEST TODAY. AT THE ROOT OF THE ARGUMENT IS THE CONTROVERSIAL JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY.

GEN. EDWIN A. WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE 24TH DIVISION, ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING "IMMORAL, UNSCRUPULOUS, CORRUPT AND DESTRUCTIVE ARE TERMS WHICH COULD BE APPLIED" TO THE NEWSPAPER, THE OVERSEAS WEEKLY. THE PAPER CHARGED LAST WEEK THAT WALKER USED ARMY FACILITIES TO DISSEMINATE TO HIS TROOPS "A PROPAGANDA BARRAGE ON THE PHILOSOPHY" OF THE MILITANTLY ANTI-COMMUNIST SOCIETY.

IN RESPONSE TO TODAY'S STATEMENT BY WALKER THE PAPER CALLED HIM AN OPPONENT OF FREEDOM OF THE PRESS AND COMMENTED: "AS REGARDS GEN. WALKER'S ATTEMPTS TO SLANDER THIS NEWSPAPER, IT APPEARS TO USE TO FIT IN WITH THE GENERAL'S ATTITUDE IN THE PAST YEAR IN EUROPE TO PIN LABELS ON EVERYTHING WITH WHICH HE PERSONALLY DISAGREES."

GEN. WALKER DENIED LAST WEEK HIS DIVISION'S INFORMATION PROGRAM IS LINKED WITH ANY SOCIETY OR ORGANIZATION AND SAID IT IS DESIGNED TO INFORM HIS MEN OF "ENEMIES WHO WOULD DESTROY US."

IN HIS FURTHER STATEMENT TODAY, GEN. WALKER SAID "WE HAVE COMMUNISTS AND WE HAVE THE OVERSEAS WEEKLY. NEITHER ONE IS ONE OF GOD'S BLESSINGS TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE AND THEIR SOLDIER SONS OVERSEAS."

IN HIS REPLY, JOHN DORNBERG, NEWS EDITOR OF THE OVERSEAS WEEKLY, SAID THE 11-YEAR-OLD PAPER IS PUBLISHED BY LOYAL AMERICANS AND "HAS CONSISTENTLY FOLLOWED A POLICY OF COURAGEOUS, FAIR AND OBJECTIVE REPORTING." HE ADDED:

"BY HIS ACTIONS IN THE PAST 16 MONTHS, GEN. WALKER HAS DEMONSTRATED THAT HE DOES NOT WHOLLY APPROVE OF HAVING HIS TROOPS HAVE ACCESS TO A FREE AND UNCENSORED NEWSPAPER.

"AS REGARDS THE STORY IN OUR APRIL 16 ISSUE, WE STAND BY THE ARTICLE WHOLEHEARTEDLY AND CAN DOCUMENT ALL OUR ALLEGATIONS."

THE PAPER HAD REPORTED THAT JOHN BIRCH PUBLICATIONS AND MATERIAL WERE DISTRIBUTED AMONG 24TH DIVISION SOLDIERS UNDER PROGRAMS SET UP BY WALKER. IT ALSO SAID THE SOCIETY'S MATERIAL HAD BEEN REPRINTED IN THE DIVISION'S WEEKLY NEWSPAPER.

WALKER WAS ALSO REPORTED BY THE PAPER TO HAVE SAID AT A PTA MEETING IN AUGSBURG THAT FORMER PRESIDENT HARRY S. TRUMAN, FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AND ELEANOR ROOSEVELT ARE "DEFINITELY PINK" AND THAT 60 PER CENT OF THE AMERICAN PRESS, RADIO AND TV INDUSTRY IS COMMUNIST.

COMMENTING ON THIS REPORT, WALKER SAID: "STATEMENTS IN THE OVERSEAS WEEKLY OF 16 APRIL, 1961, ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN MADE BY ME ON 24 JANUARY 1960, ARE UNTRUE." HE DID NOT DENY MAKING THE STATEMENTS.

THE TABLOID OVERSEAS WEEKLY, WHICH OFFERS A COMBINATION OF SENSATION AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO U.S. TROOPS ABROAD, IS WIDELY READ AMONG AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN EUROPE. IN 1953 ARMY AUTHORITIES ORDERED IT BANNED FROM TROOP NEWSSTANDS, BUT THE ORDER WAS RESCINDED.

U.S. ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN HEIDELBERG HAS DECLINED TO TAKE ANY STAND ON THE CURRENT SQUABBLE. ASKED IF THE ARMY WOULD SUPPORT GEN. WALKER'S COMPLAINT AND BAN THE PAPER AGAIN, A SPOKESMAN SAID NO SUCH STEPS HAD BEEN TAKEN. HE EXPLAINED THAT PUBLICATIONS CAN BE BANNED ONLY IF THEY ARE PROVED LEWD OR SUBVERSIVE.

DORNBERG SAYS OVERSEAS WEEKLY HAS BEEN ACCLAIMED BY MILITARY COMMANDERS ABROAD AND BY GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND MEMBERS OF CONGRESS IN THE UNITED STATES. HE ADDED:

"IT IS, NEXT TO STARS AND STRIPES (THE ARMY-SPONSORED NEWSPAPER), THE LARGEST-SELLING MEDIUM ON STARS AND STRIPES NEWSSTANDS IN THE OVERSEAS COMMAND. THE EDITORS FEEL THE PAPER IS ONE OF THE FEW FREE AND UNCENSORED VOICES AVAILABLE TO AMERICAN MILITARY PERSONNEL IN EUROPE."

TWO DAYS BEFORE THE OVERSEAS WEEKLY MADE ITS REPORT ON WALKER AND THE BIRCH SOCIETY THE ARMY ANNOUNCED HE WOULD BE TRANSFERRED

NEXT AUGUST TO AUSTIN, TEX., AS COMMANDER OF THE 8TH CORPS. THE ARMY SAID THE MOVE IS A NORMAL DUTY TRANSFER.

THE OVERSEAS WEEKLY IS PUBLISHED BY INTERNATIONAL MEDIA, A DELAWARE CORPORATION. ITS PRINCIPAL STOCKHOLDER AND EXECUTIVE EDITOR IS MISS MARION ROSPACH, ONE OF THE PAPER'S ORIGINAL FOUNDERS 10 YEARS AGO.

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EATON-RUSSIANS (220)

CLEVELAND, APRIL 16 (AP)-WITH THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT CUTTING AWAY RED TAPE, THREE YOUNG RUSSIANS WERE ABLE TO VISIT TODAY AS GUESTS OF MR. AND MRS. CYRUS EATON AT ACADIA FARMS SOUTH OF HERE.

THE SOVIET TRIO, ALONG WITH SIX OTHER RUSSIANS, HAVE BEEN SPENDING A WEEK AT OBERLIN COLLEGE, 40 MILES WEST OF THE EATON FARM. BUT TO GET TO THE FARM, THE RUSSIANS NEEDED CLEARANCE FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR THE SUDDEN CHANGE IN TRAVEL PRIVILEGES.

THE THREE SAW EATON'S PRIZE SHORTHORNS, RODE IN HIS TROIKA--A GIFT FROM RUSSIAN PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV--AND CHATTED AT A SMALL RECEPTION. THE GUESTS WERE ALEKSANDR O. CHUBARYAN, WHO TEACHES HISTORY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MOSCOW; BORIS D. PANKIN, DEPUTY CHIEF EDITOR OF KOMSOMOLSKAYA PRAVADA, AND VADIM V. TASKAEV, CHIEF ENGINEER OF THE CHELYABINSK COAL MINE IN THE URALS.

EATON, A CLEVELAND INDUSTRIALIST WHO HAS ADVOCATED GREATER TRUST OF THE RUSSIANS AND INCREASED TRADE, WAS APPRECIATIVE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S ACTION.

"THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON WAS MOST COOPERATIVE IN ALLOWING MY GUESTS TO DEVIATE FROM THEIR SCHEDULE AND COME HERE FROM OBERLIN," SAID THE CONTROVERSIAL 77-YEAR-OLD FINANCIER. "IT IS INDEED A DEPARTURE FROM THE PAST THE STATE DEPARTMENT WORKS ON SUNDAY. THEY GAVE US QUICK APPROVAL FOR THIS VISIT."

AN INTERPRETER, MRS. ANASTASIA ROMANOFF OF ITHACA, N.Y., WAS WITH THE RUSSIANS. SHE IS TRAVELING WITH THE GROUP WHO GO ON TO FORT WAYNE, IND., TOMORROW. HER HUSBAND TEACHES AT CORNELL UNIVERSITY.

MRS. EATON, WHO SPEAKS RUSSIAN, SAID THE GUESTS CHATTED ABOUT HISTORY, PHILOSOPHY AND SCIENCE. 1207AES

A32 30.24

(120)

HOLY LOCH, SCOTLAND, APRIL 16 (AP)-THE PROTEUS, BASE SHIP FOR U.S. POLARIS SUBMARINES, SAILED FROM SCOTLAND'S HOLY LOCH TODAY WITH TWO YOUNG BRITISH PACIFISTS CLINGING TO HER BOW.

THEY EVENTUALLY WERE SWEPT AWAY BY WAVES CHURNED UP BY THE TENDER AND WITNESSES SAID THE DEMONSTRATORS WERE LUCKY TO ESCAPE WITH THEIR LIVES.

THE INCIDENT INDICATED THAT CAPT. RICHARD LANING, SKIPPER OF THE PROTEUS, HAS DECIDED TO GET TOUGHER WITH THE PACIFIST GROUP WHICH HAS BEEN HARRYING THE VESSEL SINCE SHE ARRIVED IN THE LOCH LAST MONTH.

THE DEMONSTRATORS PADDLED KAYAKS DIRECTLY INTO THE PATH OF THE PROTEUS AS SHE STEAMED SLOWLY OUT ON A TRAINING EXERCISE. THEY SEEMED TO HOPE THEY COULD FORCE THE SHIP TO STOP.

BUT LANING KEPT COMING. TWO YOUNGSTERS MANAGED TO GET A GRIP ON THE BOW BUT THEN THE PROTEUS BEGAN PICKING UP SPEED, AND AFTER BEING CARRIED ALONG FOR 200 YARDS, THE PAIR LET GO AND WERE SWEPT AWAY ON THE WAVES. NEITHER WAS REPORTED HURT.

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A91WX (SPOT) 30.24

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(330) CONNALLY

WASHINGTON, APRIL 16 (AP)-SECRETARY OF THE NAVY JOHN B. CONNALLY SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THE BOMBING AND ROCKET ATTACKS ON THREE CUBAN AIR BASES YESTERDAY.

HE SAID HE HADN'T CHECKED OUT CUBAN CHARGES THAT SOME OF THE ATTACKING PLANES HAD LANDED AT THE AMERICAN BASE AT GUANTANAMO, CUBA "BUT I DON'T BELIEVE THEY ARE TRUE."

CONNALLY, IN A TELEVISION INTERVIEW, (ABC--ISSUES AND ANSWERS) NOTED A CUBAN SLOGAN OF "DOWN WITH GUANTANAMO" AND SAID U. S. MARINES AND SHIPS THERE "HAVE MADE PREPARATIONS FOR ALMOST EVERY CONTINGENCY." BUT HE ADDED:

"WE ARE NOT REALLY CONCERNED ABOUT IT."

THE SECRETARY, PRAISING THE U. S. FLEET AS THE "FINEST IN THE WORLD," CONFIRMED THERE WAS A HIGHER DEGREE OF ALERTNESS AMONG NAVAL FORCES IN THE FAR EAST SINCE THE LAOS CRISIS ERUPTED AND SAID MARINES ARE ABOARD 7TH FLEET SHIPS READY TO MOVE INTO LAOS IF NECESSARY.

"I DON'T ANTICIPATE WE'LL BE CALLED ON TO DO ANYTHING . . . BUT WE CERTAINLY HAVE THE CAPABILITY TO DO SO," HE STATED.

HE EXPRESSED CONCERN OVER THE GROWING OBSOLESCENCE OF AMERICAN NAVAL SHIPS BUT SAID A NEW OUTPOURING OF MODERN SHIPS IS ON THE WAY.

"WE HAVE BEEN BUILDING ONLY 22 SHIPS A YEAR," HE STATED. "BUT THERE IS PROVISION FOR 36 SHIPS IN THE 1962 BUDGET. . . I WOULD THINK WE WOULD HAVE TO HAVE THAT NUMBER OVER A PERIOD OF TIME."

ASKED IF THE NAVY WOULD NEED THAT MANY NEXT YEAR HE SAID "I WOULD HOPE IT WOULD NOT BE LESS. . . I WOULD SAY THAT WITH THE 36 SHIPS THE RATE OF REPLACEMENT WOULD BE ABOUT RIGHT."

THE SOVIET UNION HAS NOTHING COMPARABLE TO AMERICA'S POLARIS-FIRING NUCLEAR SUBMARINES, CONNALLY CONTINUED. HE SAID THE UNITED STATES MUST ASSUME, HOWEVER, THAT RUSSIA IS WORKING ON A COMPARABLE WEAPON. AND HE ACKNOWLEDGED THE RUSSIANS WERE AHEAD IN SPACE EXPLORATION WITH THEIR SUPERIOR ROCKET BOOSTERS.

THE SUCCESSFUL SOVIET LAUNCHING OF THE FIRST MAN INTO SPACE DIDN'T NECESSARILY CREATE A GREAT MILITARY ADVANTAGE OVER THE UNITED STATES, CONNALLY SAID. "THEY DON'T HAVE ANY IMMEDIATE PLANS TO MAKE CAPITAL OUT OF WHAT THEY DID," HE SAID. ". . . I WOULD QUESTION THEIR ABILITY TO USE IT IN A MILITARY SENSE."

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A126CX 30.24

(180) CHICAGO, APRIL 16 (AP)-A SMALL GROUP OF NEGROES ORGANIZED IN 1956 TO STUDY AFRICAN AFFAIRS SUGGESTED TODAY THE NAME OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S PEACE CORPS BE CHANGED "BECAUSE IT SOUNDS HYPOCRITICAL TO AFRICANS."

SIDNEY WILLIAMS, CHAIRMAN OF THE GROUP OF ABOUT 100 NEGROES, SAID A RESOLUTION WILL BE SUBMITTED TO PEACE CORPS DIRECTORS SUGGESTING A NEW NAME, TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE CORPS.

"THE WORD 'PEACE' IS OBNOXIOUS TO AFRICANS," WILLIAMS SAID, "BECAUSE THEY HAVE YET TO FREE THEMSELVES FROM POST-INDEPENDENT ECONOMIC COLONIALISM. THE WORD IS ALMOST MEANINGLESS TO THE AFRICAN MIND."

WILLIAMS, CHAIRMAN OF THE CHICAGO URBAN LEAGUE FROM 1947-55, SAID THE GROUP ENDORSED WHAT HE TERMED "KENNEDY'S POLICY OF AFRICA FOR THE AFRICANS" AND THE PEACE CORPS IDEA.

THE GROUP ALSO VOTED TO CHANGE ITS NAME FROM FIRST FRIENDS OF GHANA TO FIRST FRIENDS OF AFRICA. IT ORIGINALLY WAS ORGANIZED TO OFFER ASSISTANCE TO GHANA WHICH WAS STRUGGLING FOR INDEPENDENCE, WILLIAMS SAID.

PROF. OLIVER W. COX OF LINCOLN UNIVERSITY, MISSOURI, TOLD A GROUP MEETING YESTERDAY THAT THE DECISION OF CONGO LEADERS TO FORM A FEDERATION IS A TRAGEDY. HE SAID A FEDERATED CONGO WILL LACK THE STRENGTH IT MIGHT HAVE MUSTERED WERE IT RULED BY A CENTRAL GOVERNMENT.

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